

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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**Incident:** Assault with Deadly Weapon Arrest

Location: 668 Harbor Blvd

**Date/Time Occurred**: 08/25/21 @ 2020 hrs

Officer(s) Involved: VPD Patrol

Suspect(s): Ernesto Estrada, 04/08/61, Vagrant

Report #: 21-56219

## Narrative:

On the above date and time, Ventura Police Department Patrol Officers responded to the Ventura Pier for a report of an assault in progress. Upon arriving, officers located the victim, a 62-year-old female bleeding from a wound to the face. Investigating officers determined that the victim was walking with a friend at the Pier near Harbor Blvd. and was approached by Estrada. For no apparent reason, Estrada struck the victim with a metal pipe. Estrada remained in the area and was taken into custody by officers. The victim was transported to a local hospital for treatment.

Estrada was arrested for assault with a deadly weapon and mayhem.

The complete press release, including suspect description, can be viewed online at www.venturapd.org

If you have any information about this crime, you can make an anonymous call to Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS.

If your information leads to an arrest, you could receive a cash reward of up to \$1,000.